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AMENDMENT 37 C.F.R. 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCESS  
ART UNIT 1643

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: John B. Harley and Judith A. James

Serial No: 08/781,296

Examiner: Mary K. Zeman

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For: *DIAGNOSTICS AND THERAPY OF EPSTEIN-BARR VIRUS IN  
AUTOIMMUNE DISORDERS*

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Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed March 17, 1999, please amend the application as follows. Enclosed is a Petition for Extension of Time, along with the required fee for a small entity, to extend the period for response one month, to and including July 17, 1998.

It is believed that no additional fee is required with this submission. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account No. 01-2507.